Abstract of the Disclosure:

In order to generate a multiple of a unit U, N times U, by a digital circuit is provided, where U is a rational number and N is a natural number, the method comprises the following steps (1) to (5). (1) Where A, B and C are natural numbers, A > 1, B > C and U = A + C/B, the values A, B and C are stored. (2) A multiple of A, N times A, and a multiple of C, C0, C1 times C2 are generated. (3) The multiple of C3 is modified according to the result of the comparing step (3). (5) The modified multiple of A is output as the multiple of C3.